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Response To Notification Of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 In The U.S. Designated/Elected Office

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**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS
UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE U.S. DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE**

This is in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 ("Notification") mailed December 12, 2005. Per the petition and fee submitted herewith, applicants invoke the benefit of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 to secure a 4-month extension of time up to and including June 12, 2006.

The following documents are submitted herewith:

1. Copy of the Notification;
2. Declaration executed by all inventors;

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I hereby certify that this correspondence, along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed, and/or fee, is being deposited with the United States Postal Service, "EXPRESS MAIL-POST OFFICE TO ADDRESSEE" service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10, on the date indicated above, and addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.	
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3. Petition for Extension of Time;
4. Check in the amount of \$860.00, in satisfaction of the following fees:
Surcharge for providing the Oath or Declaration later than thirty
months from the priority date.....\$65
Fee for 4-month extension of time up to and including
June 12, 2006.....\$795

No further fees are believed due in response to the Notification. However, if a fee is due, please charge the same to deposit account No. 50-0573.

Respectfully submitted,
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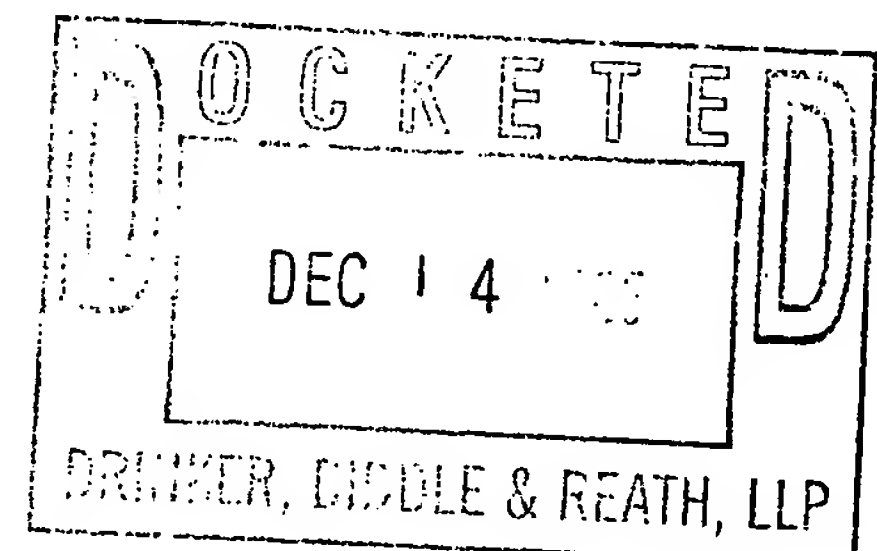
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 06/28/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 06/28/2004
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 06/28/2004
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 06/28/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 06/28/2004
- Priority Documents filed on 06/28/2004



The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

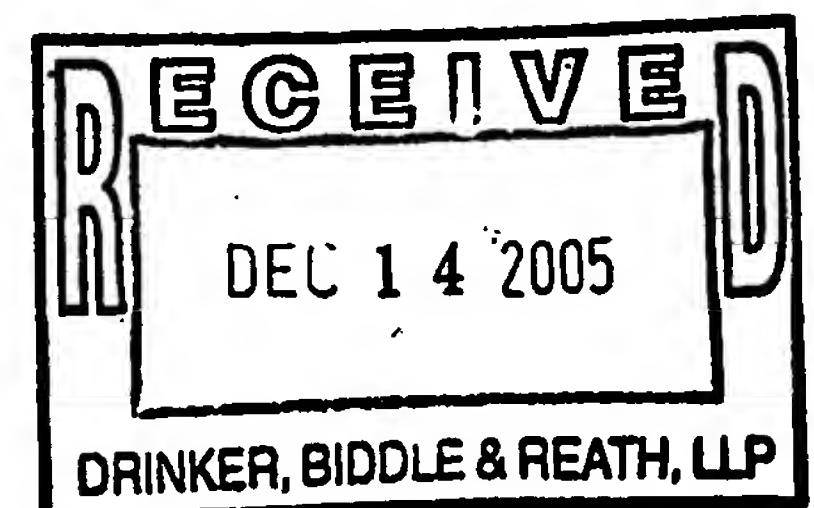
The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$-228 for a Small Entity:

- \$65 Surcharge.



(A previous payment of \$293 will be applied to the additional fees indicated above.)

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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